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In re: Application of: Gardner et al.

Serial No.: 10823,902 Examiner: Evans, Fannie L.

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For: METHOD FOR DETECTION OF PATHOGENIC MICROORGANISMS

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Sir:

Please find enclosed for filing:

- X Issue Fee Transmittal form Part B (submitted in duplicate)
- X Communication re Submission of Formal Drawings as replacement.
- X 15 replacement drawings of Figs. 4, 5R, 5S, 5U, and 6A-11
- X Please charge the fee for the issue fee & 5 copies, namely, \$1015.00, or any additional charges, to Deposit Account No. 04-1679. This Transmittal Letter is submitted in duplicate.
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SUBMISSION OF CORRECTED DRAWINGS

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Sir:

Applicants herewith submit replacement drawings of Figs. 4, 5R, 5S, 5U, and 6A-11 that are believed to satisfy all requirements set forth in the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review dated August 2004. No new matter is presented.

Should the attached drawings not be found fully in compliance with all requirements, Applicants respectfully request prompt notice by telephone in order to accomplish expeditious correction within the term allotted.

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